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FROM SHEAR TO RDO'S/CDO'S/FFPO'S

1. ON BEHALF OF DR. ADAMS I COMMEND EACH OF YOU FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL ASSESSMENT OF CURRENT SHORT-TERM NEEDS IN SAHEL COUNTRIES. YOUR TIMELY ASSESSMENTS HAVE RE-FOCUSED OUR THINKING ON BASIC HUMAN NEEDS WHICH COULD GO UNATTENDED UNLESS FOOD/HEALTH REQUIREMENTS ARE CAREFULLY MONITORED OVER NEXT FEW MONTHS.

2. BY SEPTELS WE INTEND TO INITIATE AN ONGOING DIALOGUE WITH EACH OF YOU, THEREBY UP-DATING FEB 20 BASIC ASSESSMENTS AS REQUIRED. INFORMATION RECEIVED IN AID/W WILL SERVE PRIMARILY AS BASIS FOR EMERGENCY FUNDING BUT ALSO WILL BE USED FOR SPECIAL BRIEFINGS OF THE ADMINISTRATOR AND INTERESTED CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

3. WE HAVE BEEN EDIFIED BY RDO/CDO,S SERIOUS APPROACH TO

AID/W FEB 20 ASSESSMENT REQUEST AND ARE CONFIDENT THAT BASIC FOOD/HEALTH HUMAN NEEDS WILL CONTINUE TO RECEIVE HIGHEST RDO/CDO PRIORITY' INGERSOLL

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